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SOCIETY OF WOMEN MUSICIANS, INC.

(Office : Cramer's, 139 New Bond Street, W. 1)

PRESIDENT - MISS ASTRA DESMOND, C.B.E.

RCM London

SUMMER FIXTURES, 1953

TO BE HELD AT 4, ST. JAMES'S SQUARE, S.W. 1

(by kind permission of the Arts Council).

Thursday, April 30th, at 7.45 p.m. Concert by MARIE WILSON (Violin) with LIZA FUCHSOVA (Piano); JOYCE NEWTON (Contralto) accompanied by GRACE SHEARER. Programme will include works by Beethoven (Kreutzer Sonata), Janacek, Franz, Erich Wolff and Strauss. Refreshments 9.15 (1/6). Guests are welcome. Programmes (1/6) obtainable at the door.

Thursday, May 28th, at 7.45 p.m. Coronation Programme of music from the periods of our five Queens Regnant. THE TUDOR SINGERS conducted by HARRY STUBBS; HARRIET COHEN (Solo Piano), JENNIFER VYVYAN (Soprano), FLORENCE HOOTON ('Cello), KATHARINE LOVELL (Composer-Pianist), JOSEPHINE LEE (Accompanist). Refreshments 9.15 (1/6). On this occasion, Souvenir Programmes for members 1/-, for guests 2/-.

Third Fixture. Particulars will be sent later.

JOAN DAVIES, *Honorary Secretary.*

NOTE : The W. W. Cobbett Library of British Chamber Music is now on loan to the Arts Council, 4, St. James's Square, S.W. 1. Members wishing to borrow music should apply to the Assistant Music Director at that address.

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SPRING FIXTURES, 1954

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Friday, January 29th, at 7.45 p.m. THE ROBERT MASTERS PIANO QUARTET. Robert Masters (Violin), Nannie Jamieson (Viola), Muriel Taylor ('Cello), R. Kinloch Anderson (Piano). Programme will include works by Brahms and Fauré. Refreshments (1/6)

Saturday, February 27th at 3 p.m. Young Members' Concert. MARY WHITTINGTON (Soprano), DOREEN HARVEY (Contralto), MARGARET MAJOR (Viola), PHYLLIS SPURR (Accompanist). Songs by Scarlatti, Monteverdi, Britten, Brahms, Ivor Gurney; Viola Sonata by Hindemith. Tea (1/-)

Tuesday March 16th at 7.45 p.m. Recital by ARDA MANDIKIAN (Soprano) and EVELYN ROTHWELL (Oboe); JOSEPHINE LEE (Accompanist). French and Greek songs, Oboe Solos. Refreshments (1/6)

Thursday, April 8th, at 7.45 p.m. Concert by HELGA MOTT (Soprano) accompanied by ENID BROOK; JEAN HAMILTON (Solo Piano), BERYL KIMBER (Violin) with HEBE GIBBS (Piano). Programme will include works by Schubert, Strauss, Hugo Wolf, Arne and Poulenc Refreshments (1/6)

Guests are welcome at all meetings.
Programmes (1/6) *obtainable at the door.*

JOAN DAVIES, *Hon. Secretary.*

ALICE MARTIN, *Organising Secretary*

(to whom all correspondence should be addressed).

NOTE :—Next 'ELLA IVIMEY' CONCERT—Tuesday, 26th January. Particulars from Miss Davies, 59, Wimpole Street, W. 1.

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SUMMER FIXTURES, 1954

THE FIRST TWO CONCERTS WILL BE HELD AS USUAL AT

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Friday, May 7th, at 7.45 p.m. Recital by PHYLLIS SELLICK (Piano), NORMA PROCTER (Contralto), DAPHNE IBBOTT (Accompanist). Programme will include works by Schumann and Debussy. Refreshments (1/6)

Wednesday, May 19th, at 7.45 p.m. VICTORIA KINGSLEY (Songs with Guitar) and THE DUBOIS TRIO—Marian Attwood (Oboe), Noreen Mason (Flute), Joyce Hedges (Piano). Programme will include works by Telemann, John Addison, and French and Spanish songs. Refreshments (1/6)

IMPORTANT. As the Drawing Room at 4, St. James's Square will not be available during June, the next two Fixtures will be held at 109, LANCASTER GATE, W. 2. (The house is at a corner, quite near the Tube Station and on 'Bus Routes 12, 17, 88.)

In memory of the Society's Founder

MARION SCOTT (died 24th December, 1953)

the Council has arranged a two-day Fixture, designed on the plan of the Composers' Conferences instituted by Miss Scott.

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AUTUMN FIXTURES, 1954

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Thursday, October 7th, at 7.45 p.m KATHLEEN LONG (Piano), AUDREY STRANGE (Soprano) with JOAN SPENCER (Violin) and FLORA KENT (Accompanist). Programme includes works by Ravel and 18th century composers; "Frauenliebe und Leben" by Schumann and Holst's Songs for Voice and Violin. (Refreshments 1/6)

Friday, October 29th, at 7.45 p.m. IVOR JAMES will give a talk on Beethoven's C sharp minor String Quartet (Op. 131) illustrated by the MENGES QUARTET. Isolde Menges (Violin), Lorraine Du Val (Violin), Jean Stewart (Viola), Ivor James (Violoncello). (Refreshments 1/6)

Saturday, November 13th, at 2.15 p.m. The Forty-Third Annual General Meeting (Members only). See separate card. At 3.15 p.m. a short concert (Guests admitted) will be given by MEGAN FOSTER (Soprano), accompanied by FIONA CAMERON, and CECELIA KEATING (Violin) with SHEILA RANDELL (Piano). Megan Foster will sing "Les Légendes Dorées." Instrumental works will include Sonata in C sharp minor (Op. 21) by Dohnányi. (Tea 1/-)

Saturday, December 11th, at 6.30 p.m Christmas Party. The LINDEN SINGERS in Carols, conducted by WILLIAM LLEWELLYN. (Refreshments 1/6)

Guests are welcome at all meetings. Programmes (1/6) obtainable at the door. (Refreshments 1/6)

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